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BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1916.

The Weather

Fair to-night. Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer; moderate west winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Laces, special sale at Vaughan's. Clean-up sale on coats at Vaughan's. See 1916 spring wash goods at Abbott's.

Miss Nellie Brown of Cliff street is visiting friends in Manchester, N. H. Regular meeting of L. A. A. O. H. in K. of C. hall Wednesday evening at 7:30. "The Campbells Are Coming," a live-reel Broadway feature, at the Bijou.

Get your partners for the dance in Howland hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 15. Carroll's orchestra.

The funeral of Harry Gaffetti, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Gaffetti of Railroad street, who passed away early Monday morning, after an illness of eight days, was held at the house this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery on Beckley street.

Funeral services for Myrton Mason, for 12 years an employee of the M. & W. R. railroad in Barre, whose death at his home on the East Montpelier road Thursday morning followed a brief illness of pneumonia, were held at the house Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Barrett, pastor of the Barre Congregational church, officiating. The bearers were: Elmer Taft, Archie Taft, Andrew Johnston, Fred Davis, James Smith and Walter Mason. There were several fine floral tributes. Interment was made in Maplewood cemetery.

At the Bijou—"The Campbells Are Coming" is a military drama of the Sepoy rebellion in India in 1857, and contains battle scenes which have never been equaled in moving pictures. Francis Ford, Grace Cunard and Henry Schumm play the principal roles and are supported by several regiments of Canadian soldiers, who are now fighting in France. These soldiers were led into action by the Scotch Highlanders band of Vancouver.

After a suspension of classes at Goddard seminary of nearly three weeks, sessions were resumed at the school this morning with nearly a normal registration of students. Night classes are to convene at once and an effort will be made to make up for the time lost on account of a mild outbreak of scarlet fever at the seminary in January. The four students whose illness with the malady led to the closing of the school, are being cared for in a house on Academy street and all are convalescent. Students, four in number, who developed symptoms of the fever after they went to their homes, are none of them seriously ill, according to reports received by members of the faculty.

William Steward of Mount street, who has been detained at his home for several days, is making good recovery from the effects of a mishap which he suffered while working at the Gearson & Lane plant in Burnham's meadow last week. Mr. Steward, who is employed as a lathe operator, had stooped over to oil his machine, when he felt a severe pain in his chest. A physician told him afterward that he must have come in contact with a sharp edge of the machine, as there were indications that he had received a severe rap in the region whence the pain proceeded. Mr. Steward expects to be able to resume work within a few days.

Fifty traveling men were registered at Hotel Barre last evening, nearly every room in the house having been assigned. Among others who were registered at the hotel yesterday and to-day were the following people: Mrs. K. Kentley of Roxbury and Mrs. A. E. Cover and Max G. Ayers of Waterbury, R. R. Edgerton and E. G. Clewley of Burlington, A. E. Pray and party of Warren, T. R. Waterman, J. M. McIntosh of Standstead, P. Q. G. R. Joslyn of Orleans, B. C. Abbott of Bradford, G. F. Harlow of Rochester, F. M. Davis of Lakeport, N. H., H. H. Carroll and N. E. Pierce of Burlington, C. C. Frisbie of Milton, George V. Burr of Hudson Falls, N. Y., J. F. Beckett of Burlington, H. E. Crown of Essex Junction, G. A. Colburn of Burlington and W. E. Metzger of Burlington.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the neighbors and other friends for their acts of kindness and generous expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. Myrton Mason,
Gerald Mason.

Regular meeting of Iroquois tribe, No. 16, to-night at 7 o'clock. Entertainment will follow the meeting.

Regular stated convention of Vincitua lodge, No. 10, K. of P., will be held to-night at 7:30 o'clock.

EAST BARRE.

There will be a special meeting of Wuchosen tribe Wednesday night at 7:30 sharp. Business to examine new uniforms.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FARM WANTED—Would like to rent a farm, stock and team, or on shares. Mark Dunbar, Chelsea, Vt.; R. F. D. 2. 27812

WANTED—Two young men in Protestant institutions; must be in good health, fair education, know something of outdoor work; no tobacco or booze; prefer those 5 ft. 8 in. to 6 ft. 4 in.; character and disposition will be carefully investigated. Address Frederick W. Robinson, 312 Huntington avenue, Boston, Mass. 27810

FOR RENT—Two steam-heated rooms in northern block, inquire of McAllister & Kent. 27807

FOR SALE—A very old mare colt, sound and kind; a dandy driver, single or double; weighs about 900 lbs. Apply after 4 o'clock. 73 Hill street. 27806

WANTED—A girl for kitchen work at the Baltimore Lunch Room. 27807

WANTED—Girl to do general housework in family of 3; must furnish references, and experience. "K." Times office. 27805

PLAINFIELD.

Married, at the Methodist parsonage, Plainfield, Saturday evening, by Rev. Arthur Hewitt, George E. Pray and Charlotte H. Little, both of North Montpelier. No cards.

EAST BARRE.

Winona council and Wuchosen tribe will give a hobo costume entertainment and dance in Foresters' hall Thursday. Admission, 10c. Fines will be charged those not in costume.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Owing to her illness, the librarian will be unable to be at the library to-morrow.

MONTPELIER

Marion L. Hoffman and Merley W. Putney Married To-day.

The marriage of Miss Marion L. Hoffman, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Buzzell of the East Montpelier road, to Merley W. Putney, son of A. D. Putney, also of Montpelier, was solemnized at St. Augustine's church this morning at 8 o'clock, the pastor, Rev. P. J. Long, officiating. The wedding was attended only by a few relatives. They were attended by the groom's brother, Merton Putney, and by Miss Mary Conlin. The bride wore a brown traveling suit with hat to match. After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Putney are to reside at the home of Luman Cutler, where the groom has been employed for the past five years. The bride is a graduate of St. Michael's parochial school in the commercial class and for two years was employed as bookkeeper in the Stone Bros. store.

Work was commenced to-day on the Leland property on State street by the W. Shelton Swallow Co., which has the contract to erect the new playhouse. Representatives Dow and Noble of the Swallow company arrived in the city last evening and the latter will have charge of the work. If the weather is favorable, it is expected that the excavation and foundation work will be completed by the first of April.

James Kanally of First avenue, who has been ill with rheumatism for the past few weeks, resumed his duties as conductor on the branch passenger train of the Central Vermont railroad this morning.

In city court this forenoon James McDonald of Cambridge, Mass., and William Fortin of Winoski appeared and pleaded guilty to charges of intoxication, second offense in each case. Judge E. M. Harvey showed no partiality but gave each a sentence of 30 days in the county jail. McDonald and Fortin were arrested early last evening, being found by police officers near the Montpelier & Wells River station.

At the daily bowling alleys last evening Rouse Marriotti of Barre defeated Cumber of Montpelier in a five-string candle-pin match 504 to 446. Marriotti's high string was 118. Later, Marriotti and Hawkins defeated Reames and Rancroft five strings by nearly 100 pins. Marriotti was high man with a total of 514 and a single string of 126.

Sergeant-at-Arms Frank T. Parsons has returned from a brief trip to Burlington and St. Albans on business.

Charles E. Theriault of this city and Morris Ryan of Northfield went to-day to Essex Junction to attend, as directors, a meeting of state officers of the Catholic Order of Foresters.

The state board of medical registration is holding a three days' session in the Senate chamber at the State House for the purpose of conducting examinations. There are several candidates.

EAST BARRE.

Socialist voters of Barre Town will hold a caucus in Loasasso's hall, Websterville, Friday evening, Feb. 11, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of nominating a town ticket. Signed, Socialist town committee.

SWEATER MARK-DOWN

1 LADIES' WHITE WOOL SWEATER, 38, \$6.00 value. \$3.50
4 LADIES' LAMB'S WOOL in Oxford and Maroon, 40, 42, 44, \$4.50 value 3.25
11 CHILDREN'S LAMB WOOL in Maroon, Oxford and Brown, \$2.25 value 1.50
2 CHILDREN'S COATS, Green (4), Blue (3), \$4.00 value 2.50
CHILDREN'S CRIMSON SWEATERS, \$1.50 value 1.15
BLACK, BROWN AND GRAY FUR TRIMMING, 35c value, at 15c
\$1.59 BLANKETS, Gray and Tan 1.25
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TRICKY AND A BLUFFER.

The Spreading Adder Will Fool You If You Don't Know Him.

He's a sly creature, this snake. When he's discovered and trapped he'll make such a hubbalooboo about it, with his hissing and contortions, that if you're not wise to the fact that he's only bluffing you're sure to be frightened. If you're acquainted with him, however, and refuse to run, he'll give one final twist and roll over on his back, just as though he had made up his mind to die and save you the trouble of killing him. But don't be fooled. He's only playing possum. He's the spreading adder.

His tricks have resulted in all sorts of wild stories about him. Many people believe he's poisonous, because he spreads his head out flat and hisses when he's disturbed. As a matter of fact, he couldn't hurt you if you picked him up by the head. He's only bluffing when he hisses.

Then there's another story about the spreading adder to the effect that he will bite himself and fall over dead. This belief comes from his habit of playing possum when he sees he's cornered and can't escape.

The spreading adder is about thirty inches long, a reddish brown and blotched and spotted. He lives in dry woods and on sandy hillsides and eats toads and insects. He's also called the blowing viper or the hognoed adder.—Philadelphia North American.

A Drop.

In the new British pharmacopoeia a "drop" is defined as coming from a tube of which the external diameter is exactly three millimeters, twenty such drops of water at 15 degrees C. being equivalent to one millimeter or cubic centimeter.

Society.

Mrs. Clumber—You will find society is made up of two classes, my child. Daughter—What are they, mother? Mrs. Clumber—Undesirables and people we don't know.—Life.

Letters and Postage Stamps.

"Strange ideas some people have about postage," said the clerk who opens the mail. "Yes. See this letter here with three one-cent stamps on it and stamped 1 cent due? That's a case in point. The writer of that letter thought that perhaps it weighed a little over an ounce, a little more than would go for 2 cents, and so he put on a little more postage—1 cent more—which he thought would cover it. When the fact is that it required an additional two-cent stamp. Of course you know that letter postage is not fractional, but that it goes in multiples of two. If a letter weighs ever so little over an ounce it requires an additional two-cent stamp. But not everybody seems to know this, and so we sometimes get letters like this one with a little more postage for a little more weight."—New York Sun.

Jenkins' Ear.

There was a war known as "the war of Jenkins' ear." It came about in the following way: In the year 1731 an English merchant vessel was boarded by a Spanish guardship, and the captain, one Robert Jenkins, was most cruelly used, one of his ears being torn off in the scrimmage. Obtaining no redress by appealing to his government, he appeared before parliament in 1738, when the convention of the Parlo was so excitedly discussed that war followed. Jenkins' story was verified by the admiralty records so recently as 1890.—Exchange.

Definition of an Ohm.

An ohm, as defined by the international congress on electrical units and standards, is the resistance offered to the passage of an electric current by a column of mercury of uniform cross section having a mass of 223.0248 grains and a height of 41.868 inches at the temperature of melting ice.

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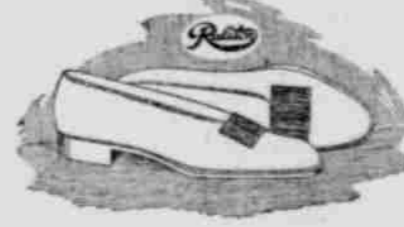
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